

# REVENUES

Several members collect Perfins on revenues as well as on postal issues and they point out that a pattern which might be quite rare on a postal issue may also be quite common on a revenue stamp.

Jack Brandt (#763) says he has noted recently that some members have entered revenues in sales books and priced them on the same basis as postal issues with the same pattern.

What happened, Jack thinks, is this.

Many companies had two perforators, one for postal issues and one for revenue issues. The patterns would be basically the same but differing in minor spacing, for example.

Rarely did the revenue perforator get used on postal issues, but in a rush, it might have. The result is a scarce pattern on a postal issue--but a pattern that is quite common on revenue issues.

We have few members collecting revenues, but each year more and more members seem to get turned on by the revenues. The more who get interested, the more we will learn about this fascinating side of Perfins collecting.